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REPORT

TOPIC Military Information from Wuensdorf-Zossen

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EVALUATION

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26 November 1953

REFERENCES

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REMARKS

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1. About 1 November 1953, the unit stationed in the Lutz Kaserne, Wuensdorf, left its installation. Building No 2 was also vacated.

- 25X1 2. On 3 November, a building } was occupied by a new unit of about 600 troops wear-  
 25X1 ing red-bordered black epaulets. The quarters of the unit previously statione-  
 25X1 there were occupied by about 200 new troops wearing black-bordered crimson epau-  
 25X1 lets.

- 25X1 3. At about 6 p.m. on 3 November, a shipment of 30 trucks }  
 25X1 } passed through Wuensdorf, pro-  
 25X1 ceeding toward Zossen. } the trucks were unloaded in this  
 25X1 area as, on 4 November, the } were observed in Camp  
 25X1 About 15 trucks mounted AA machine guns.

- 25X1 4. On 4 November, Camp Maybach was occupied by about 800 troops wearing red-bordered  
 25X1 black epaulets. } 18 JS-3 tanks, 4 tank trucks with trailers  
 25X1 and about 40 trucks }  
 25X1 in the barracks area.

5. On 18 October, the AAA emplacements in the Wuensdorf-Zossen area were occupied  
 25X1 as previously. Nor were any changes observed with the guns and equipment. The  
 25X1 tents in the emplacements were no longer there and the troops were quartered in  
 25X1 newly erected brick buildings.

6. Between 19 and 23 October, } the previous commander of  
 25X1 the Panzertruppenschule in Wuensdorf, a colonel, who }  
 25X1 had been succeeded by another colonel }  
 25X1 }

7. On 20 October, buildings Nos 372, 379, 385 and 439 in Stammlager Zossen were light-  
 25X1 ly occupied by a total of about 150 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets with  
 25X1 artillery insignia and belonging to an AAA unit. Troops observed in the barracks  
 25X1 area received theoretical instruction and engaged in physical training. Two radio  
 25X1 stations were, as previously, near buildings Nos 357 and 382.

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